



EUDORA INSIDER

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Fire Hydrant Flushing

The Eudora Fire Department will be performing hydrant flushing as part of routine maintenance and flow testing. Flushing cleans and refreshes the entire water distribution system. By discharging a large volume of water through a fire hydrant, water flow within the pipeline is increased. This increased flow actually scours the inside of the pipeline, removing and then transporting silt and mineral deposits out of the water system. During the flushing process, it is not uncommon for a yellow, brown, or reddish tint to appear in the water. This discoloration is caused by harmless mineral deposits which settle in the water mains, and flushing the fire hydrants stirs the deposits which sometimes causes discoloration of the water.

Informational door hangers are distributed to all homes in neighborhoods where flushing is taking place. If possible, avoid using water while the hydrant flushing is taking place. If you need to use water while flushing is occurring, let your faucet run until the water turns clear before using or drinking water.

Yard Waste Disposal

Leaves and grass must be placed in compostable craft paper bags specifically designed for yard waste. However, hedge and tree trimmings may be bundled provided the bundles are not more than 18 inches in diameter, 4 ft. long, and less than 75 lbs. in weight.

Residents that utilize Honeycreek, may dispose up to six yard and leaf bags alongside your trash container on your designated trash day.

Don't Forget to Register

Don't forget to register to vote. Registration will close on October 17th. For additional information please contact the Douglas County Elections Office by phone at (785) 832-5267.

Pedestrian Safety

Halloween is around the corner. As a reminder, please slow down in residential neighborhoods and obey all traffic signs and signals. Watch for pedestrians walking on roadways, medians and curbs. Carefully enter and exit driveways and alleys.

Pedestrians, be sure to look both ways before crossing a street. If there are no sidewalks, walk on the left side of the road, facing traffic.

For more information, visit the City website online at <http://www.cityofeudoraks.gov/>.

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COMMUNITY CALENDAR

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Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
1	2 Convention and Visitors Bureau 5:15PM at City Hall	3	4 Planning Commission Meeting 7-9PM at City Hall	5	6	7 EudoraFest 8AM to 5PM Downtown Eudora
8	9 City Commission Meeting 7-9 PM at City Hall	10 City Utility Bills Due	11	12	13	14
15	16	17 Commuity Flu Shots from 4-6PM at City Hall Parks and Recreatio Foundation Board Meeting 6-7 PM at City Hall	18	19 Chamber of Commerce Meeting 12PM, check chamber website for details	20	21
22	23 City Commission Meeting 7-9 PM at City Hall	24	25	26	27	28 Trunk or Treat 3-5PM Downtown Eudora Great Pumpkin Hunt 7PM Lucy Kaegi Park Ball Fields
29	30	31 Halloween 	More Information about events can be found on our website: cityofeudoraks.gov/calendar.aspx			